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NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE FACILITY

SEVERODVINSK NAVAL BASE AND SHIPYARD 402
USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THE SEVERODVINSK NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE FACILITY IS NEWLY IDENTIFIED IN THE SEVERODVINSK NAVAL BASE AND SHIPYARD 402 COMPLEX.

2. REMARKS:

SEVERODVINSK NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE IS ADJACENT TO SEVERODVINSK SHIPYARD 402. THIS FACILITY, WHICH IS SEPARATED FROM THE SHIPYARD AND ENTIRELY SECURED BY A BOARD FENCE, IS THE FIFTH NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE FACILITY IDENTIFIED IN THE SOVIET NORTHERN FLEET AREA, AND ONE OF 10 KNOWN NAVAL MISSILE FACILITIES IN THE USSR.

3. LOCATION:

ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWESTERN EXTREMITY OF THE SEVERODVINSK NAVAL BASE AND SHIPYARD 402 IN THE CITY OF SEVERODVINSK.

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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:

6. NEGATION DATE:

NONE

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

4 KH-4 AND 4 KH-7 MISSIONS.

8. DIMENSIONS/
SPECIFICATIONS:

1 PROBABLE MISSILE: LONG

1 POSSIBLE MISSILE: APPROXIMATELY 40 FT LONG

36 MISSILE CRATES:

LENGTH:

WIDTH :

9. MISSION READOUT: A NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE FACILITY IS LOCATED AT THE SOUTH-WESTERN EDGE OF THE SEVERODVINSK NAVAL BASE AND SHIPYARD 402. THIS

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INSTALLATION LACKS THE EARTH COVERED BUILDINGS WHICH ARE CHARACTERISTIC OF OTHER STORAGE FACILITIES. ALTHOUGH IT DOES NOT RESEMBLE PREVIOUSLY DISCOVERED MISSILE STORAGE FACILITIES, A FIRM IDENTIFICATION CAN BE MADE ON THE BASIS OF THE EQUIPMENT WHICH CAN BE SEEN IN THE AREA. THE INSTALLATION IS RAIL SERVED AND IS DIVIDED INTO 4 FENCED AREAS: A MAIN STORAGE AND CHECKOUT AREA WHICH CONTAINS 3 MONITOR ROOF DRIVE-THROUGH BUILDINGS, 2 MULTI-STORY DRIVE-IN BUILDINGS, 3 SUPPORT BUILDINGS, 2 PROBABLE BARRACKS, 2 EQUIPMENT STORAGE/MAINTENANCE BUILDINGS, 2 SMALL REVETTED STORAGE BUILDINGS, AND A TRANSLOADING AREA. AN ADMIN/SUPPORT AREA CONTAINS 1 MULTI-STORY BARRACKS BUILDING, 1 MULTI-STORY ADMIN BUILDING, 10 SUPPORT BUILDINGS, 5 VEHICLE STORAGE BUILDINGS, AND 1 TWO-BAY RAIL-SERVED BUILDING. THE BARRACKS AREA CONTAINS 7 BARRACKS BUILDINGS, 1 SUPPORT BUILDING, AND A PROBABLE STEAM PLANT. AN UNIDENTIFIED STORAGE AND CHECKOUT AREA CONTAINS 7 PROBABLE CHECKOUT BUILDINGS. EQUIPMENT WHICH CAN BE IDENTIFIED INCLUDES 1 PROBABLE MISSILE LONG), 1 POSSIBLE MISSILE (APPROXIMATELY 40 FT LONG), 36 MISSILE CRATES , 5 PROBABLE MISSILE CRATES, 5 TRANSPORTERS, 1 POSSIBLE TRANSPORTER, 1 CRANE, 18 PROBABLE MISSILE DOLLIES, AND NUMEROUS OTHER VEHICLES, CRATES, AND PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

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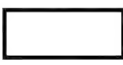


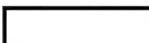
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A MISSILE LOADING OPERATION IS OBSERVED ON A KYNDA-CLASS DLGM MOORED ALONG-SIDE THE WEST BASIN QUAY ON  WHEN OBSERVED ON  2 POSSIBLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE POSSIBLY UNOCCUPIED) ARE LOCATED ON THE QUAY JUST AFT OF THE FORWARD SSM MOUNT. AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT, POSSIBLY A LIFTING DEVICE, SPANS THE QUAYSIDE CRANEWAY IN LINE WITH THE FORWARD SSM MOUNT.  AT LEAST ONE UNOCCUPIED POSSIBLE MISSILE TRANSPORTER IS VISIBLE ON THE QUAY IN LINE WITH THE BRIDGE OF THE "KYNDA". THE FORWARD MOUNT IS TRAINED APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES TOWARD THE QUAY FROM THE SHIP'S CENTERLINE, AND A MISSILE IS SUSPENDED IN LINE WITH, AND JUST FORWARD OF, THE INBOARD STARBOARD SSM LAUNCH TUBE. THE FORWARD AND AFT CAPS ON ALL BUT THE INBOARD PORT TUBE ARE APPARENTLY OPEN. THE VISIBLE LENGTH OF THE MISSILE IS APPROXIMATELY  ALTHOUGH THE AFTER END OF THE MISSILE MAY BE OBSCURED BY THE OPEN TUBE COVER. THE DIAMETER OF THE MISSILE IS APPROXIMATELY 



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